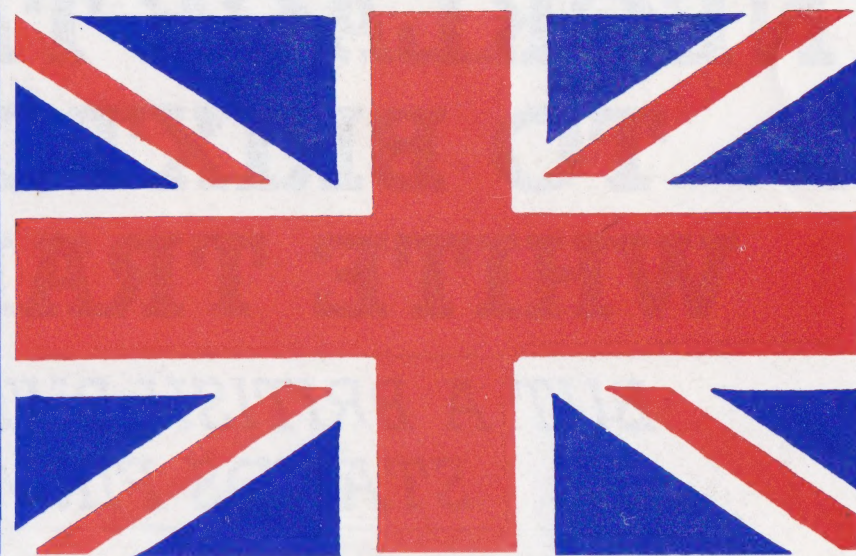


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road will come lorry-loads of foreign imports throwing more British workers out of jobs.

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In Kent the Channel Tunnel and the consequent road and industrial developments are threatening the whole of East Kent. The increase in traffic is

likely to destroy whole village communities.

But perhaps the greatest threat to the countryside is the decision of the Government earlier this year to allow industrial development on what is currently designated as agricultural land. This move has been heavily criticised by organisations such as the Council for the Protection of Rural England and is bound to lead to an increase in industrial eyesores in our rural countryside.

DECAY OF BRITAIN'S WOODLANDS & FORESTS

BRITAIN'S FORESTRY land is being rapidly bought up by individuals and institutions as a way of avoiding tax. Because forestry produces a low income but rapidly increase in value it has become an ideal way of investing surplus cash without attracting much tax.

The people who are buying forestry land have no interest in the land itself — simply the money. As a result our woodlands

are becoming fenced estates of monotonous conifer trees, employing fewer and fewer people doing little to enhance our countryside.

Since 1960 the number of people employed in forestry has fallen from about 12,000 to barely 4,000, yet woodland has enormous potential — last year some 24 million people visited Forestry Commission forests.

What is called for is an

improvement in the proportion of hardwood trees — beech trees, oaks, ashes, elms etc. — they may be less productive in terms of timber but in terms of giving pleasure to those who visit them they are immeasurably superior and with the right tourist and educational facilities they could also become economically attractive.



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While the Bishop didn't agree with all said in *Nationalist Doctrine* by reading it he has a much better idea of what the National Front is about. The NF activities in the West Midlands during April and May have certainly given the NF plenty of publicity and got National Front policies discussed in places they've never been discussed before!

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100 NF vs IRA

Six NF members were arrested in Birmingham on May 9th when more than 100 attempted to stop a pro-IRA parade through the city. The activity made the front pages of all West Midlands newspapers.

SEE OUR ADVERT — BOTTOM OF PAGE 7.

NECKLACE THREAT TO BRIXTON'S WHITE TRADERS

BUT A BRITISH BUTCHER STANDS FIRM!

A SINISTER ORGANISATION called the Black Peoples' Campaign For Justice is whipping up hatred against white traders in Brixton.

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We know this is no isolated incident and the police in association with their collaborators in the community are making increasingly vicious attacks on the community.

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Sikh starves for his sword

A SIKH went on hunger strike at Wormwood Scrubs Prison recently seeking religious concessions.

Sulekhan Singh, 30, serving life for attempted murder, wants to be

allowed to wear his ceremonial dagger, to bath daily and to have food prepared by himself or brought in from a Sikh Temple in Southall.

No holds barred in the rush to recruit ethnic officers

BLACKS WHO fail the entrance examination to become officers in the West Midlands Police force are now getting a second chance!

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FOR INFO 969-0687/326-1397

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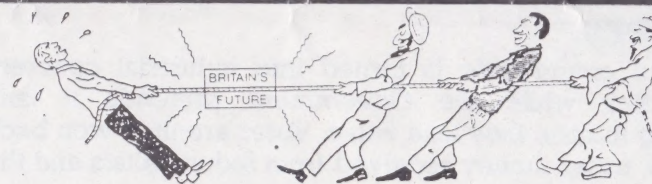
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MANY THANKS to Derek Dorling of Lancing, Sussex and Gary Whincup of Worthing, Sussex who last month turned out to be great *Friends of The FLAG*.

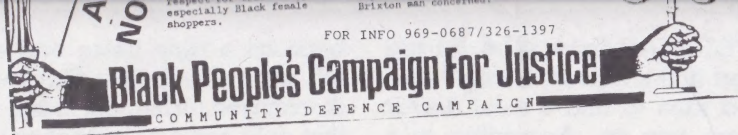
Derek turned up at our Worthing office just to tell the staff how much he enjoyed the paper. To show his appreciation he left a donation of £25.00.

A week later Gary, a local member from Worthing, left a £20.00 donation after buying stickers and papers from the office.

It's very rewarding to all those connected with the paper when our readers show their support for the paper in this manner.

At the moment *The FLAG* struggles to break even each month so donations such as the ones from Derek and Gary are especially welcome.

THANK YOU



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'British' — Now a racist word

A COUNTY council looking for a new education chief used the same advertisement that helped them recruit their present education chief who is soon to retire.

But wording that didn't raise an eyebrow in 1977 failed to satisfy the race relation gestapo in 1987.

The Commission for Racial Equality were not happy that the advertisement invited applications from 'Candidates who are

graduates of a British University'

The CRE told Durham Education Department that the advertisement was racist. Furthermore, they warned, it probably contravened the Race Relations Act.

The advertisement was withdrawn and replaced by one which left out the offending racist word. The word in question, in case you haven't guessed, was 'British'.

MULTI-RACIAL MURDER

SIKH EXTREMISTS murdered a Swiss national in the Punjab recently because he had

married a Sikh woman in spite of being warned not to by Sikh fundamentalists.

Liberal Loonies Too

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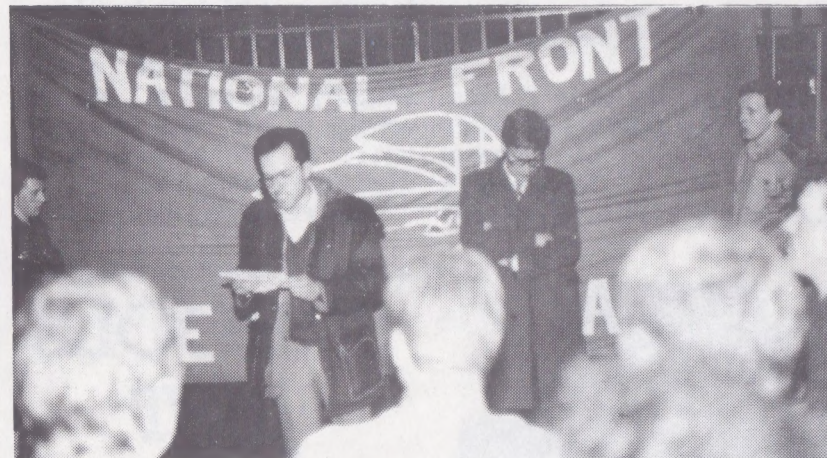
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PICTURE PARADE

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ALBERT MARINER MEMORIAL MARCH LONDON MAY 1st 1987

*They shall not grow old
As we that are left grow old
Age shall not weary them
Nor the years condemn them
At the going down of the sun
and in the morning
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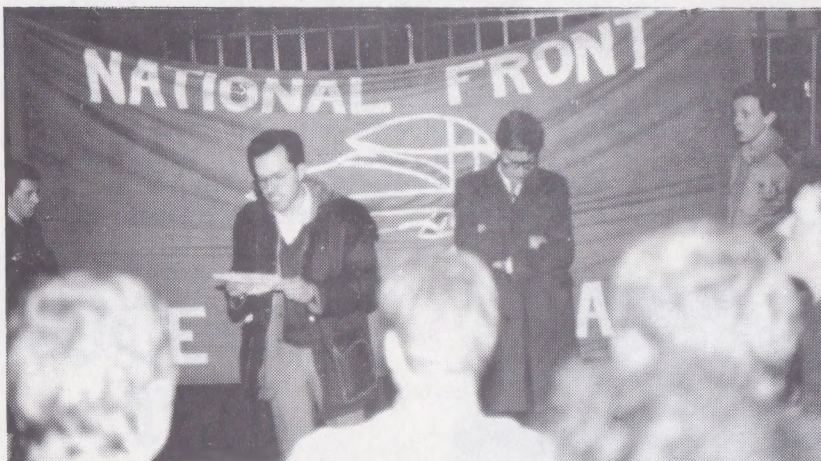
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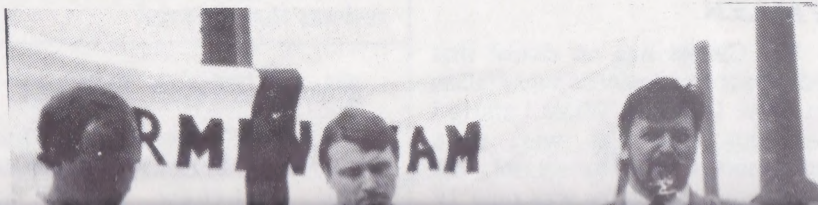
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Lots of hard work went into the campaign. The ward has been consistently leafletted for the past two years and we have a steadily rising door to door paper sale round. The last two weeks of the campaign saw as many as 13 people out leafletting day and night.

Around 20 local members attended the count in Sladefield School where John Hill gave a rousing speech. Special thanks to John, Mark Rea and the members of Birmingham NF who put in a great deal of hard work and also



■ John Hill (left) the NF's excellent candidate in Washwood Heath listens to Andrew Brons at the St. George's Day Rally.

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Meanwhile in Yardley Ward, veteran election campaigner Bob Jones polled 76 votes (0.83%). No leaflets or propaganda went out in this ward so we are not too disappointed with the result. Bob did gain good publicity on BRMB Radio when he spoke on National Front policies.

In Chelmsley Wood Ward (Solihull) I polled 60 votes which was 2.1% of the vote, not too bad

when you consider only a few hundred leaflets were put out. Thanks to Martin, Mandy and Brum YNF for helping out in this ward. We should increase the vote in future. The potential support is there.

Basically we put all our resources into Washwood Heath and I think it paid dividends. Local morale has been given a great boost which can only increase the already steady growth of

Birmingham NF. We are determined to stand even more candidates in future so Labour leader Dick Knowles better beware. *The National Front is back with a vengeance.*

LOCAL BRANCH NEWS ROUND-UP

Birmingham: Several members made it to the Albert Mariner March despite the van breaking down. Four got left behind. On the coach back members folded hundreds of leaflets for the Washwood Heath election.

Dudley: Still reaping the benefits of the Brierley Hill march by selling more copies of *The FLAG*. Have had their own Dudley NF T-Shirts made.

Worcester: Gaining new members and increasing its sales of *The FLAG*. Minibus attended the Skrewdriver concert in West Suffolk.

Coventry: Really taking off and even producing their own local NF paper. Good sales of *The FLAG*.

Wolverhampton: Good paper sales and a contingent attended the Brierley Hill March.

Walsall: Good turn-out for the Brierley Hill march.

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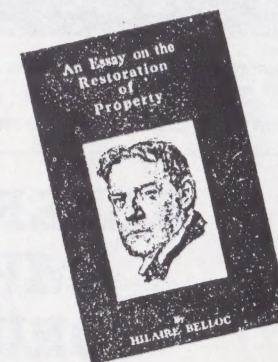
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Monette Morris, who has chaired the steering committee setting up the new Birmingham school, is all in favour of 'education geared specifically towards black youngsters'.

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'There is', he says, 'a tendency - it is not overt or conscious - to perceive black children as not capable of doing well academically'

ONE LAW

This latest experiment in racial segregation by Britain's blacks illustrates yet again that there is one law for 'ethnic minorities' and another law for the majority of British people. After all, if British parents tried to set up a racially segregated school to cater for the special needs of whites they would be hauled up in front of the Commission for Racial Equality and accused of 'racial discrimination'.

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'Immigrants moved into the vacuum. They were extremely keen for their children to do well, and still are. My school was 60% ethnic minority ... There were children who came from Indian villages. The first time they had seen a city was when they were taken to Delhi Airport, they stopped overnight in Moscow, they landed at Heathrow. The next day we had them in school. We thought they were educationally sub-normal. We were terribly slow to recognise that there was such a thing as culture shock. We just didn't cope. The schools just began to fall apart'.

He concluded: 'I used to believe that schools could change society. Not any longer. They just reflect society back to itself!'

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PORTSMOUTH NF were satisfied with the 57(2%) they polled in Nelson Ward in the local council elections.

It was the first time the Front had fought the ward and a number of new recruits were gained.

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Political Commitment

ON MAY 7th ITN News, in its 5.45pm bulletin, inferred that the National Front was involved in organising soccer violence.

This being untrue the National Front has made a complaint to the IBA over the bulletin.

On May 9th, the *Daily Mail* in an article 'Salute of Hate' claimed that a mass of National Front literature was found at the homes of those arrested in the Metropolitan Police's Operation Own Goal.

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But why this sudden onslaught on us?

NIGHT AFTER night police in the St Paul's area of Bristol are coming under attack from gangs of black youths waging a war to make St. Pauls a no-go area for the police.

On May 6th 150 black youths stoned police as they were called to investigate an incident involving a young women who had been attacked.

May 7th bricks were thrown through the windows of a police car as the officers tried to arrest a man suspected of using stolen cheques. Forty black youths then forced the police car to beat a retreat as the man they were questioning ran off into a nearby house.

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The last two weeks in May have seen police patrols regularly ambushed by youths and forced to retreat under a hail of bottles

and stones. Calls for assistance are made to the local Police Station but when the Police arrive at the scene they find the street lights have been put out and they have walked into an ambush.

Chief Constable of Avon and Somerset, Ronald Broome, says he needs another 500 officers immediately if they are to stem the rising crime rate. Speaking on the month of disorder in St. Pauls he said,

'People are attacking the police because they want to drive them off the streets. We must signal to them that we are not going to allow this to happen.'

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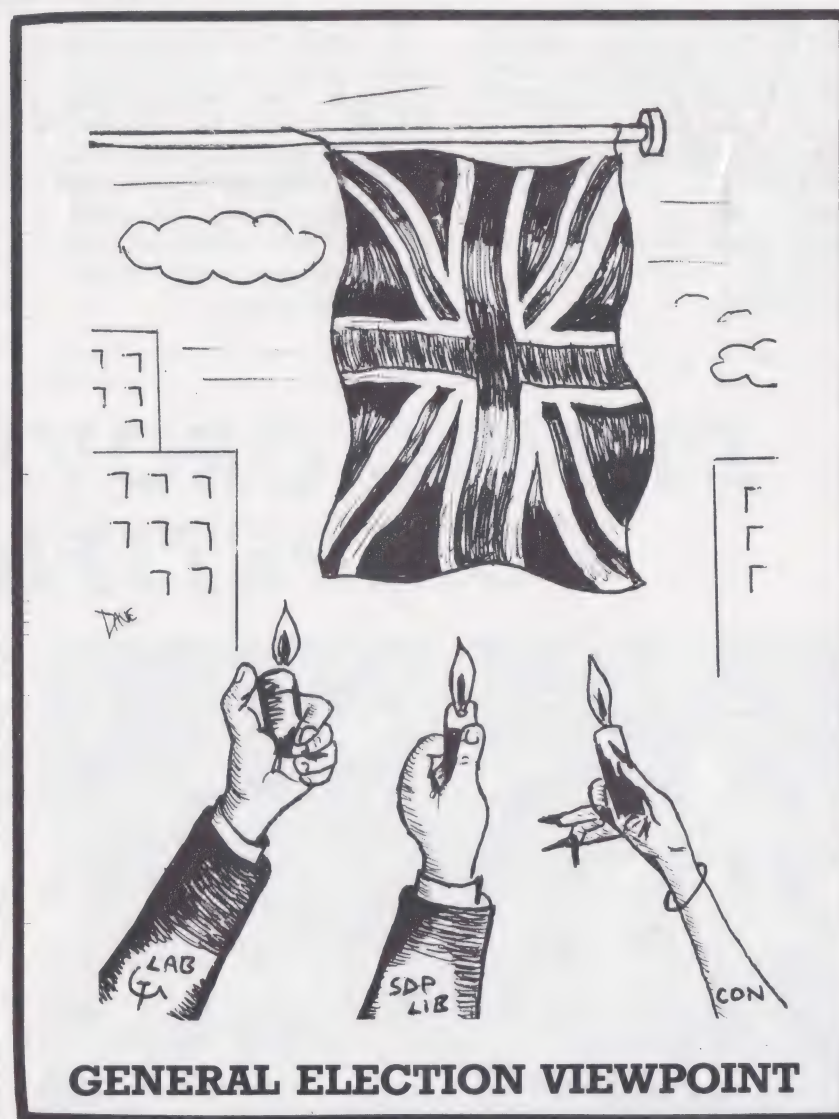
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The majority of British people would not agree with Mr. Ajeeb. On the contrary, far from regarding the judge's comments as stupid and irresponsible, the bulk of the British people will regard them as timely and long-overdue.

What is more the judge pointed to five million good reasons for voting National Front!



GENERAL ELECTION VIEWPOINT

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YARMOUTH NF organiser Tom Holmes is leading a local campaign against an AIDS hotel being set up in the town.

With five letters printed in local papers in just one week Tom and the National Front have led the rallying call against a project designed to turn Yarmouth into a homosexual resort on a par with Brighton.

Despite being attacked in the local press by the homosexual lobby and local Labour Councillors, Tom Holmes has won

a lot of support from local residents and the town's tourist trade in particular. Yarmouth's top hotel wrote to Tom, as organiser of Gt. Yarmouth National Front, inviting him to an open evening to inspect the facilities they had to offer.

'Please join us for a bite to eat and a glass of wine. We look forward to welcoming you and discussing the wide range of services that we can offer your organisation.'

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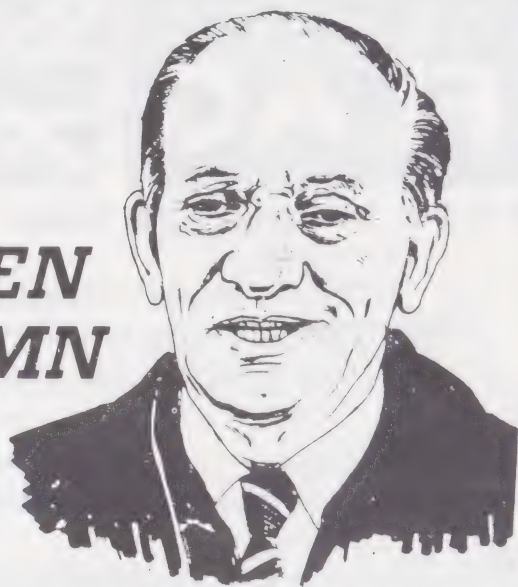
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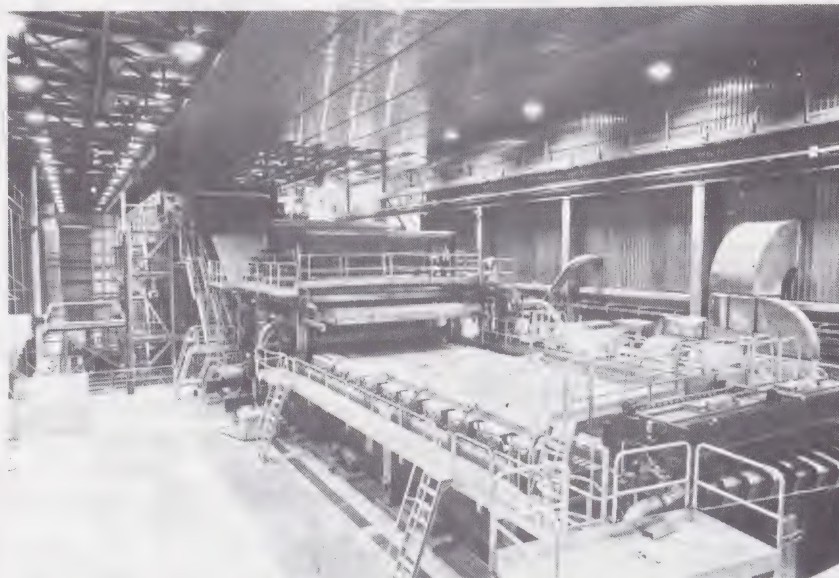
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Britain's Nuclear Power Plants being Built Abroad!



■ **Nuclear Power: Foreign subsidies mean British firms are undercut.**

MANY of the contracts for building Britain's new Sizewell B Nuclear Power Plant are being placed abroad. Sizewell's main pressure vessel is being built by the French firm Framatome, while the British firm Babcock has already given £5 million of sub-contracts to three Japanese firms: Kawasaki, Kobe and Japan Steel.

Many of these foreign companies can sell their products more cheaply because they receive subsidies from their governments for work on nuclear power.

Just to rub salt into the wound Japan refuses to buy any products from Britain or any other country for its domestic nuclear power schemes.

THE HUMAN COST OF NUCLEAR POWER

ABOUT TWO thousand people may die in Europe over the next fifty years because of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster, according to the National Radiological Protection Board.

In a study published last month, the board estimates that the accident may cause fatal cancers in about a thousand people in the European community alone. About three times as many will contract non-fatal cancers. In the UK several dozen will probably die.

The calculations come from the first complete assessment of the effects of Chernobyl on Europe, which the board has carried out on behalf of the European Commission. The study deals with the EEC countries only, and has produced estimates on the numbers likely die, much lower than previous ones.

The American surgeon Robert Gale, who went to Moscow immediately after the fire and carried out highly-publicised operations on Soviet workers irradiated at the plant itself, claimed in February that there could be more than 75,000 cancer deaths from Chernobyl. He said that two-thirds of them would be among Europeans outside the USSR.

The very wide difference between the estimated number of deaths predicted by Dr. Gale on the one hand and the Common Market board on the other are interesting to say the least. Indeed, some seasoned observers have accused the

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VENGEANCE SQUAD

In using his parliamentary position in an attempt to assist the activities of the vengeance squad from the Simon Wiesenthal Pound of Flesh Institute, he has displayed the kind of arrogance and impudence that has even alienated those who are normally eager to lick his boots.

The Pound of Flesh Institute, having scoured the world for ex-Nazis, has run short of victims to persecute and has turned its attention to the lesser fry whose only crime was probably that of being insufficiently servile to Imperial Zion.

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ABILITY TO CONVINCE

It is rumoured that intelligent Jews have urged Mr Janner to lay off since his zeal is tending to highlight the amazing similarity between Imperial Rome and Imperial Zion. The Romans, also a cruel and ruthless people, used to take pleasure in parading their enemies through the streets of Rome in chains. It seems that the Israelis and their agents overseas are hell-bent on imitating them, even though the victims may be barely able to walk.

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MANY of the contracts for building Britain's new Sizewell B Nuclear Power Plant are being placed abroad. Sizewell's main pressure vessel is being built by the French firm Framaton Framatone, while the British firm Babcock has already given £5 million of sub-contracts to three Japanese firms: Kawasaki, Kobe and Japan Steel.

Many of these foreign companies can sell their products more cheaply because they receive subsidies from their governments for work on nuclear power.

Just to rub salt into the wound Japan refuses to buy any products from Britain or any other country for its domestic nuclear power schemes.

COST OF CHERNOBYL

THE Chernobyl accident has cost the Government £2.64 million in compensation payments, just to Welsh farmers alone! Figures for compensation payments to farmers in England, Scotland and Ulster haven't been disclosed.

A further £240,000 has been spent on purchasing sheep for sampling purposes and in meeting costs of laboratory analysis to establish levels of radiocaesium. Another £75,500 was spent on live monitoring equipment and marking paint.

its complete assessment of the effects of Chernobyl on Europe, which the board has carried out on behalf of the European Commission. The study deals with the EEC countries only, and has produced estimates on the numbers likely die, much lower than previous ones.

The American surgeon Robert Gale, who went to Moscow immediately after the fire and carried out highly-publicised operations on Soviet workers irradiated at the plant itself, claimed in February that there could be more than 75,000 cancer deaths from Chernobyl. He said that two-thirds of them would be among Europeans outside the USSR.

The very wide difference between the estimated number of deaths predicted by Dr.Gale on the one hand and the Common Market board on the other are interesting to say the least. Indeed, some seasoned observers have accused the Common Market of a cover-up.

The fact remains, that whether the death toll following Chernobyl is two thousand or seventy-five thousand, the human cost of nuclear power is still too high.

ETHNIC GROVELLER COMPETITION



Janner's latest venture into the spotlight has taken him just a wee bit over the top.

VENGEANCE SQUAD

In using his parliamentary position in an attempt to assist the activities of the vengeance squad from the Simon Wiesenthal Pound of Flesh Institute, he has displayed the kind of arrogance and impudence that has even alienated those who are normally eager to lick his boots.

The Pound of Flesh Institute, having scoured the world for ex-Nazis, has run short of victims to persecute and has turned its attention to the lesser fry whose only crime was probably that of being insufficiently servile to Imperial Zion.

These latest intended victims are the Latvians, Lithuanians and Estonians who

It is assumed that intelligent Jews have urged Mr Janner to lay off since his zeal is tending to highlight the amazing similarity between Imperial Rome and Imperial Zion. The Romans, also a cruel and ruthless people, used to take pleasure in parading their enemies through the streets of Rome in chains. It seems that the Israelis and their agents overseas are hell-bent on imitating them, even though the victims may be barely able to walk.

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By Any Other Name

ALF DUBS is the name. If you have never heard of him, you should know that he is one of the leading lights in Labour's freak show. He is, in fact, Labour's weasel-featured Home Secretary in waiting and, with any luck, he'll be waiting a long time.

Just the other day, a private member's bill was being progressed through Parliament. Sponsored by Mrs Jill Knight MP., its object was to ban the promotion of homosexuality in schools as just another kind of

normality.

Nothing controversial there, you may think. How wrong you are.

For up popped Labour's Alf Dubs to kill the bill on the pretext that it had not been properly discussed. So what is there to discuss? The merits of sexual aberration?

In Scots dialect, a *dub* is a pool of foul water.

Dubs, you may consider, is an appropriate name for a bilge rat!

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ETHNIC GROVELLER 1987

JAMES PULLAR from Bolton is on course to capture a £5.00 postal order and a free subscription to *The FLAG* with the above picture and caption of Labour's Roy Hattersley on the election trail.

Roy Hattersley's ethnic grovelling is almost an art form and Karen

Taylor, from Morley, with her contribution again shows the versatility of old *Saliva Chops*.

Novice ethnic groveller, David Owen looks distinctly uncomfortable and Mark Thompson's photo and caption, sent in from Shrewsbury says it all.



■ Roy Hattersley Again! 'Who cares about votes. I want to win The FLAG's Ethnic Groveller of the Year Competition.'



■ David Owen thinking 'Now just close my eyes, lie back, and think of England'.

Letters



LESSON IN FIJI

Dear Sir,

The people of Britain have an ominous lesson to learn from the situation in Fiji, which is attracting heavy but no doubt fleeting press coverage. The Indians, migrating in large numbers, and with their excessive birth rate, have already grasped control of the economies of Uganda and Madagascar. This has in the end enraged the indigenous populations and resulted in mass expulsions.

Apart from the continued large and undesirable influx of Indians to this country, there is already a large differential of birth rates between indigenous and immigrant sections of the population. At these present rates, we could see a situation like that of Fiji, with equal numbers of coloured and white people in less than a generation, offering a perturbing dilemma for us all.

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MUSIC SCENE
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SLAYER —

CURRYING FAVOUR

Dear Sir,

Reading your article concerning Labour's Black Sections in **The FLAG**, prompted me to write and tell you that Labour aren't the only ones currying favour.

The official Conservative candidate for the Ashley Ward of Bristol, my home town, is a West Indian who was pictured in the **Bristol Evening Post** in tribal dress!

The vast majority of the population of Ashley Ward are English with only a tiny West Indian population living in the Monpelier area of the ward.

It would appear that the Tories are trying to curry favour with an ethnic minority, and in the case of Ashley Ward's West Indian population, MINORITY is a very accurate term.

M.Ashton,
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COMPLETELY HONEST

Dear Sir,

I think **The FLAG** is the best Nationalist paper in Britain, but I do wish that you would ensure that your propaganda is factual. In my opinion exaggerated claims only serve to undermine the credibility of your message.

In the May issue you stated that '**Out of all Britain's political parties only the National Front pledges to get Britain out of the Common Market!**' To my knowledge, at least two other parties are committed to this - namely the Communist Party and the British National Party.

Let's leave half truths and inaccuracy to our opponents, by sticking to the facts we can only enhance our reputation. On the other hand, if people feel you are not being completely honest on one issue - this may make them sceptical about other stories/reports in the paper.

With regard to Les Payne (Letters May), I believe I am right in saying that it is illegal to collect money in the street without a license. This should be checked out, we don't want our papersellers getting arrested - they have enough hassle to put up with as it is!

Keep up the good work.

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That said I don't want to give the impression that I'm against all

other Thrash Metal bands, I think groups such as Anthrax, Celtic Frost and Metallica are on the whole quite good.

Slayer, on the other hand, having heard them live and read their lyrics are not a group that should be encouraged. Our society is filled with enough sick and evil influences without this lot jumping on the bandwagon.

The National Front Christian Fellowship Newsletter

THE Spring edition of *Front Page* the NF Christian Fellowship Newsletter is available from *FLAG Newspapers*.

With articles on The Soulless Society, The Spiritual Stuggle, God's Powerful Ways and a call for Nationalists to seek God's guidance all make interesting reading.

Send SAE to P.O.Box 230, Worthing, Sussex BN14 8EG.

SKREWDRIVER -The First 10 Years

A new book, published to celebrate the tenth anniversary of Britain's premier Nationalist rock band.

It has been written by NF Branch Development Officer, Joe Pearce, who used hours of taped interviews with Skrewdriver vocalist Ian Stuart, to get the source material he needed. The book maps out Skrewdriver's chequered career, from the band's modest beginnings in Blackpool in 1977 to their international reputation in 1987.

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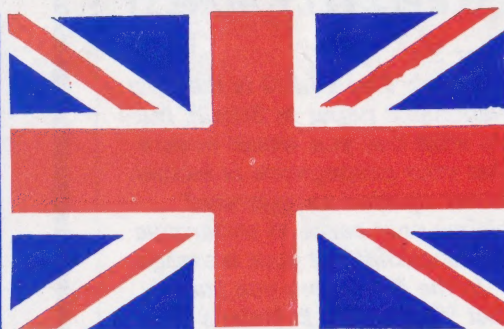
For £5.00 a year Social Club members will receive regular bulletins keeping them informed of all Social Club functions. This will include all NF branch socials and events organised by members of the National Front.

Holidays will only be available to Social Club members and although pub

evenings and socials will be open to non-members those who attend regularly will be encouraged to register.

Don't miss out on the fun-side of the National Front. Keep informed of all Social Club Activities — Register with the Social Club TODAY! Send your £5.00 registration fee to: The Social Club Secretary, P.O.Box 230, Worthing, Sussex BN14 8EG. Cheques/POs payable to the NF Social Club.

FLAG SPORT



POWER TO THE SUPPORTERS

by Joe Pearce

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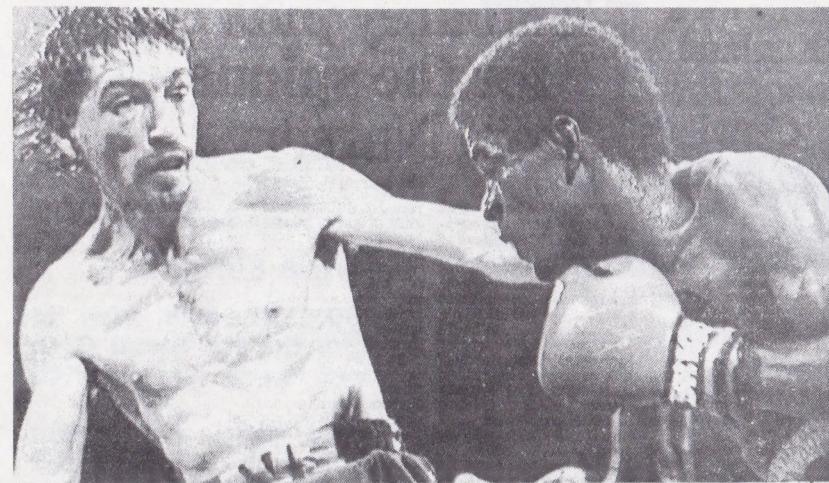
Pride at the King's Hall Belfast

By Jimmy Grundle

ANYONE WATCHING the World Flyweight Championship fight on April 25th could only feel sorrow and sadness for Dave 'Boy' McAuley in his heroic challenge to become world champion.

Ulsterman Dave with only thirteen professional fights behind him put on one of the bravest fights ever seen in a British ring against an equally brave but rather dirty fighter from Colombia, Fidel Bassa, the reigning world champion.

Within the opening few seconds of the fight the Ulsterman was dropped by a well-timed right which stunned the local crowd at the King's Hall Belfast, but then miraculously he dragged



himself up and then went on to floor the champion five times, twice in the third, once in the sixth and twice again in the ninth. If Bassa had hit the floor once more in the ninth, McAuley would have been world champion, but it was not to be, and in the thirteenth the brave Ulsterman finally folded under a barrage of blows from the Champion.

Although Dave 'Boy' McAuley lost, his determination and sheer courage left a feeling pride with all those in the King's Hall that their little man from Larne had given his very best against a formidable champion.

With Dave McAuley now turning to lightweight and with his excellent short left that floored a full flyweight champion, Ulster could be hailing a new champion in the near future.

We all wish him the very best.

REFERENCE POINT, *The FLAG's* ante-post advice for the Derby stormed home to win Britain's richest race.

It was a 5-1 chance when *The FLAG* told its readers it was something special last month, and hundreds of *FLAG* readers took that price ensuring their bumper payout.

Once again our racing tips are putting money in your pocket. **Pridden Jimmy**, a horse who had hardly managed to finish a race when we told you to back him — has now won two races including a 6-1 victory at Huntingdon.

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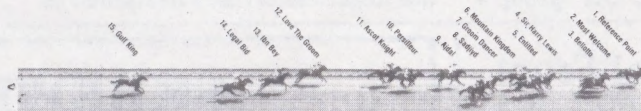
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WE TOLD YOU SO!



■ The order of finish in the 1987 Ever Ready Derby.

ton in hand at Bath on June 2nd and **Pagitek** Steve Norton's useful miler who looks sure to win in the next couple of weeks. Keep your eye out for this one.

The Times is taking an interest in our racing tips. Its Diary column telephoned Fulke Johnson-Houghton, trainer of **Fort Wapping** (*FLAG* tip May '87) to see whether the horse was any good. The trainer confirmed it would win a race.

Unfortunately it wasn't at Folkestone on June 1st when **Fort**

Wapping ran appallingly at 50-1 to finish a distance being winner Impeach.

Front runner

I was taken aback to hear of a race horse called Fort Wapping. It belongs to the wife of the trainer Fulke Johnson Houghton, and she is a *Telegraph* reader. The horse is out of a mare called Hot Press, and Johnson Houghton — who does read *The Times* — says, with true trainer's precision, that the horse "should win a race".